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Rev. A. A. Phelps
Dear Sir,

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I congratulate you on your safe return. In reply to a question in your letter, I would say that I suppose the sum you wish may be obtained of the Savings Institution in Dedham. I think of no other place. You can write to Enos Foord Esq. & obtain all the information you wish. He is one of the principal men concerned in that Institution. If you get it there, you must get two men whom they know & such as they have confidence in. They are very particular as to the sureties. There is an advantage in getting it there, as it may probably run as long as you wish, provided they feel perfectly safe as to the security.

Please to say to Mr Moore that it is probable I shall not be in Boston until next week. We shall expect you at the ordination.

Yours Affectionately,

E Firk